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OFFICIALS' DAY OFF.

Incidents of Their Visit to Wurtsboro.

LESSONS TO THAT VILLAGE'S FIREMEN

The Newly Completed Water Works Tested—Visitors Royally Entertained—Saw Rattlesnakes, Miss Olett's Museum and "Poker Flat."

Wurtsboro's fire department was given its first instruction in the use of fighting fire, Wednesday. A lesson in the use of hose was given by Chief Hingham, of this city, in front of the Roman Catholic Church, and one on the art of throwing long ladders against high buildings was given by A. H. Gordon, who is second assistant foreman of Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company, No. 1, of this city.

The village's fire department consists of two companies which were organized last November and which are officered as follows:

WURTSBORO HOOK AND LADDER, NO. 1.
Pres.—John H. Holmes.
Vice Pres.—A. D. Tice.
Treas.—M. H. Stanton.
Chaplain—Rev. S. T. Clifton.
Foreman—G. G. Bennett, Jr.
Asst. Foreman—James G. Benedict.
Sec.—C. B. Stanton.
This company has twenty-seven members.

WURTSBORO ROBE, NO. 1.
Pres.—D. G. Wood.
Vice Pres.—Joseph H. Holmes.
Treas.—A. E. McNamee.
Chaplain—Rev. Father M. V. Aylward.
Foreman—Jacob Helm.
Asst. Foreman—C. H. Newkirk.
Sec.—G. F. Harding.
Twenty-two members.

The former company purchased a truck of the Mahoning company, of Port Jervis, and the latter received a present of a hose cart from the department in this city.

Wednesday, on the invitation of Chief Hingham, Mayor Elwood, President Lawrence, Alderman Gardner and Waldorf, Recorder Barnes, Chief Weber and an Anson representative, went to the village to watch the chief and assistant foremen show the beginners how extinguishers should be approached and extinguished. Morris B. Wolf was also a guest. The officials who drove over the mountain succeeded in reaching there with the same outfit in which they started, but it was only with great difficulty that the alderman from the first was prevented from swapping horses at an enjoyable ride, though the highways were dusty. The horses were watered at Selubert and Bennett's.

Arriving at Wurtsboro they were met by Chief Piper and a committee, who entertained them at a swell dinner, which was served by a corps of efficient waitresses under the direction of Peter McNamee.

At 1:30 the visitors were taken to Garmond Hall by the managers of the theatrical production, "Crawford's Chain, or the Pot of Poker Flat," which was given there by amateurs Tuesday and Wednesday nights. The excursion to the hall was taken to show the officials what a progressive business man has done. The drop curtain shows M. B. Wolf's Blue Front store, with "ig" and "Nate" of the adjoining stores just showing at the edges.

The next stop was in the office of the famous Olett Hotel, where two rattlesnakes shook their rattles for the crowd. Mayor Elwood could not be induced to go into this business, saying that he went into the milk business to get rid of snakes. The snakes are fifteen years old and twice as fat as tempered.

Miss Olett was called in and she took the party into her museum rooms to see the famous collections of curios which have been accumulating there for many years and which excited the deepest interest of all who saw them. There is a most everything one can think of to be seen there from the old steam hat Mrs. Hall's dress used to wear to the pig with two months and three eyes, which lived two days and ate with both mouths before death from joy.

This interesting hour was brought to a close by the arrival of the fire companies at the hotel. Chief Hingham showed one of the twelve hydrants in the village, the one nearly opposite the R. C. Church and 150 feet of hose was laid, the chief explaining where time might be saved and how to make quick couplings. The water was then turned on and a beautiful stream was thrown clear over the church and its short steeple. Then the Olett house was soaked and occasionally the crowd of onlookers were sprinkled. The men were then shown how to reel up properly, told how to dry out the hose and how to use an "expand" er. When the hose which was used in throwing the stream was reeled up, J. V. M., (Squire Morrison), an enthusiastic member of the hose company, at the age of seventy-eight, turned the crank and later on ran with the boys. He is as kittenish as a three-month-old kitten. In the meantime Mr. Gordon's lesson was going along in front of the Olett house. He made the hook and ladder boys throw up their tallest extension ladder and then climbed up to the top of it. He explained how to throw it up without allowing it to lean on anything but its base and side supports and gave them some valuable information based on his own experience.

There was some excitement as a young man drove up with foreman Bennett's trumpet for use by Chief Piper, but he did not put it into service. Capt. Weber kept the boys back out of harm's way, except when Alderman Waldorf told a story, but he is to be forgiven for that. This terminated the instruction and the party paid a visit to Chauncey Newkirk, and then returned to the Do Ranse House. While the visitors were seated on the porch, a man drove up to the hotel with a hand-some black mare. The word that Alderman Waldorf was at Wurtsboro had spread to Spring Glen. This man took the alderman for a spin, and outside of a broken dashboard no damage was done. No side was effected.

The party remained at the Dorrance House for supper, and then took seats which had been reserved for them in the Olett Hall and learned all about the "Poker Flat." The production was very creditable. While it was not exactly "Mr. Smooth" it pleased the visitors immensely. The singing of Miss Lena

PARALLS, WAS A FEATURE OF THE PLAY, and the male quartette was good.

After the play the party enjoyed a dance at the hall and at 11 o'clock they left for home, reaching here about 1 o'clock.

The visitors were highly pleased with their treatment and accepted an invitation to attend the first annual parade this fall.

OBITUARY.

John H. Holmes, known to a large number of people in this and Sullivan county as "Captain" Holmes, died, Wednesday night, at his home in Wurtsboro, of general debility, aged about seventy-five years.

The deceased is survived by his wife and one daughter, Mrs. Seymour Pell, of Arlington, N. J. He was a consistent member of the Reformed Church, of Wurtsboro, and president of that village's recently organized hook and ladder company.

Wattie C. Osborn.

Mr. and Mrs. James F. Moore, of Highland avenue, received word, Wednesday, of the death of Mrs. Moore's sister, Miss Mattie C. Osborn, in Brooklyn, at the home of another sister, Mrs. W. C. Wood. The deceased was thirty-five years of age, and her death was the result of Bright's disease.

Miss Osborn and her two sisters mentioned above and Mrs. Geo. H. Hobbs, of Jersey City, and G. B. Osborn, of this city, were the children of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Osborn. One brother died several years ago.

The deceased was a favorite sister in this family and her death has been a severe blow to the survivors. The body will be brought to this city for burial.

OBITUARY NOTES.

—David E. Edmonston, a well known citizen of Newburgh, died there Wednesday morning, in his seventy-ninth year. He was a prominent Mason and Odd Fellow.

—Michael Cahill, a Port Jervis tailor, died there Tuesday morning, of heart failure, in his sixty-third year. He was born near Dublin and had lived in this country for forty years. Five sons and a daughter survive.

—Mr. and Mrs. John V. Shipman, of Knox avenue, this city, have been bereft of their infant daughter, Martha Helena, who died, Wednesday afternoon, aged twenty-four days. The child had not been well at any time since its birth. Funeral services were held, this afternoon, at 2 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Mr. Henth. Interment was in Hillsdale.

MEETING OF WHEELMEN.

J. E. Corwin Named as Middletown's Sidepath Commissioner.

A meeting of wheelmen was held at the rooms of the F. P. G. R. and Cycle Club, Wednesday evening, 11. Lundfield was a chairman and G. E. Gillen, secretary. The object of the meeting was thoroughly presented by J. H. Clearwater, of the local council of the L. A. W., after which J. E. Corwin was chosen to represent Middletown as one of the five commissioners to be appointed by Judge Bontie to make and extend cycle paths through Orange county.

PORT JERVIS "GONDOLIERS."

George Lea Arranging for Their Visit to This City.

George Lea went to Port Jervis, today, to make the final arrangements with Mrs. George St. John for the production of Gilbert and Sullivan's popular comic opera, "The Gondoliers," at the Casino, Thursday, May 23. The company consists of nearly seventy-five persons and we have no doubt Mr. Lea will make a big success of his enterprise in bringing the company to Middletown.

The Orange County Circuit.

A meeting of the officers of the Middletown Driving Park Association and of the Tri-States Driving Park Association, of Port Jervis, will soon be held in Goshen, with the officers of the Goshen Driving Park, to make out a programme and perfect arrangements for the Orange County Circuit.

E. A. Brown, who was in Port Jervis Tuesday, in consultation with the officers of the Tri-States Association, says that races will surely be held in this city.

Where Much Farm Produce is Shipped.

From the Walnut Times.

Hamden is a great shipping point, in fact it is one of the most extensive shipping points in farm produce for a town of its size on the Ontario and Western. The average daily boat shipment is in fifty packages and twenty-five packages of eggs, besides the milk and other produce.

Big Calendar for Sullivan County's Supreme Court.

There are eighty-four cases on the calendar of the Supreme Court to be held in Monticello, beginning May 15, by Judge Chester. Twenty-two of the cases are on the preferred calendar. The Greene divorce suit is on the calendar, but it is not likely to be reached.

Went to Liberty by Special Train.

The American Climatological Society, of New York, about seventy-five strong, went to Liberty, today, to inspect the Loomis Sanatorium. They were aboard a special Pullman train of four cars. They will return to New York, to-night.

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SON'S SAD SURPRISE.

Came Home and Found His Mother Lying Dead.

PARALYSIS THE CAUSE OF DEATH.

Was in Her Usual Health When Her Son Left Her Two and a Half Hours Before—The Funeral Arrangements.

From Our Goshen Correspondent.

Mrs. Ann Keely was found dead at her home on Montgomery street, Wednesday night, by her son, Thomas. He had left her at 4 o'clock in good health and performing her household duties. At 5 or 5:30 she came out of her house for a few moments to visit with her neighbors. At 6:30, when the boy went home from work he found her lying dead upon the floor.

Dr. Robinson was called and found that the woman had died from a stroke of paralysis.

She was aged about fifty years, and had resided in Goshen for seventeen years, coming to this village from Ireland. Her husband, Patrick Keely, who during his residence here was employed at the gas house, died about ten years ago. Besides the son, Thomas, Mrs. Keely is survived by a daughter, Mary. Her funeral will be held on Saturday.

PUBLIC VOICE.

The Cases of Two Teachers Who Were Not Reappointed.

EDITOR ARGUS.—Don't you think your Argus-eyes should be turned upon what seems to become very arbitrary acts of our school superintendent? There are at least two cases where no one but Normal graduates have been turned down without any assigned reason. And when the president of the Board of Education was appealed to, he professed entire ignorance of the whole matter.

The method of procedure adopted by Mr. Tathill is to send an order for his teachers to call at his office when he asks them to withdraw their applications for reappointment, at the same time telling them that they will not be reappointed at any rate. When the teachers in surprise ask for a reason for this action, on his part, he declines to give any and on an appeal to him for any criticism on their school work he answers that as "it is not in a critical mood." He also declines to give them a recommendation and leaves them in a very helpless and humiliating situation.

These teachers have never been subjected to the least criticism in school, although the superintendent visited them frequently.

The teachers in question know of no reason why they should be thus treated except some little personal dislike either in the superintendent or some member of his family.

I take the liberty to call your attention to this matter so that, should they just cause for complaint, the Argus may cast a flash in that direction. A.

MRS. M'GIBNEY'S CASE.

Sensational Articles About a Patient at "Interpines," Goshen.

Some of the New York papers published, Wednesday, sensational articles concerning an attempt that was to be made to secure the release of Mrs. Edith Drake-McGibney from Dr. Seward's sanatorium, "Interpines," at Goshen. Mrs. McGibney asserts that she is unlawfully restrained as a result of her father's machinations.

Her father, James M. Drake, a Wall street broker, who caused her commitment to the sanatorium, says he has no objection to her release if a commission finds she is competent to be at liberty.

Mrs. McGibney eloped with and married a carpenter in 1898 and afterwards, it is alleged, made threats against her father's life and in other ways gave proof of an unsound mind.

RUNAWAY BOYS' HOME.

Greasy and Cool Dust Two Adventurous Youths Return to Goshen.

From Our Goshen Correspondent.

Gerold Deap and Harry Lyons, the runaway boys, arrived in town, Wednesday night, on a freight train. They were sorry looking specimens, well covered with a coating of grease and coal dust. Their tales of the experiences that befell them during their absence are weird and wonderful. One is to the effect that they took a short trip to Buffalo and, returning, another that a trainman locked them in a freight car and they had to cut their way out, having had nothing to eat during their absence of two days and a half.

THE WELCOME RAIN.

The Drought of Twenty-four Days Broken and the Dust is Laid.

The rain for which all have been hoping and for which some have been praying came today. It was more than welcome. There hasn't been a great deal of it, only a few smart showers, but it has laid the dust and washed the crime from Nature's face, and we're likely to have more before the sun shines again.

Those who keep tab on such things say that it is just three weeks and three days since the last rain, a very protracted drought for this season.

Officers of Young Ladies' Musical Club.

The Young Ladies' Musical Club met at Mrs. C. Macardell, Jr.'s, Wednesday afternoon, and elected the following officers:

President—Miss Nellie C. Purdy.

Secretary and Treasurer—Miss Gertrude Hulse.

Birthday Party.

Jennie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Robertson, is today, years old, to-day, and she is celebrating her birthday by giving a party to some of her little friends.

The best medicine money can buy for impure blood, nervousness, and all stomach and kidney troubles is Hood's Sarsaparilla.

The Board of Health disposed of several reported nuisances, Tuesday night, at its regular session. One case of diphtheria was reported.

Dr. Miles' Restorative Nerve promptly cures La Grippe's grasp and restores health.

FUNSTON HEARD FROM.

The General's Political Handwriting Are Not Very Strong.

KANSAS CITY, May 11.—Under date of Stanford university, California, The Star prints excerpts from a letter from Brigadier-General Frederick Funston, whose brilliant work with the Twentieth Kansas regiment in the Philippines has won him fame. Professor S. L. Kellogg, a former fellow student in the Kansas State university. In his letter, which is dated April 10, the Kansas gives the first information so far made by him regarding a political career. He says:

"I cannot think there is much in the talk about doing the handsome thing by me. Politically the rank and file of the Republican party might be willing, but how about the bosses?"

"There are mighty few offices," Funston continues, "that I have not seen, and the one or two in the gift of the people of Kansas I have not the gall to ask for."

General Funston apparently remembers some of the articles in connection with his Cuban campaign when he says, "Now I have proved a dozen times at the risk of my life that I am not a fake," and it is his main hope that his record in the Philippines may satisfy the former critics.

Continuing, General Funston mentions some of the battles in which he and his men engaged in the Philippines, saying:

"We had a number of good stiff fights, in which all of the troops behaved splendidly and carried everything before them. Kansas can always be counted on out here to take a place in the vicinity of the band wagon."

Schoolteacher's Alleged Theft.

STAMFORD, Conn., May 11.—Dr. J. E. Hill, teacher of mathematics at the Stamford High school, has been suspended pending the result of his trial in the superior court on a charge alleging theft. Dr. J. Bruce Chittenden of New York complained to the authorities that a collection of canceled postage stamps valued at \$1.50 had been taken from his room when no one but Hill was present. Hill was arraigned in the city court and admitted taking the stamps but stated that he had only borrowed them and had no intention of committing theft. He was held for the superior court under \$2,000 bonds.

A Flag on Every Postoffice.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—Every postoffice in the island of Porto Rico, about 1,000 in number, will be flying a United States flag. The war department has been asked by Acting Postmaster General Heath to furnish the service sufficient flags for this purpose, and postal officials expect the response will be favorable. Otherwise flags will be bought by the postoffice department and forwarded to Director of Posts Elliott. Many of the schoolhouses in the island already have been equipped with flags through private New York enterprise.

Moloney Still a Prisoner.

NEW YORK, May 11.—Because his record would not offer bonds for him, Roland B. Moloney is still a prisoner in the Tombs. No effort will be made to obtain his release until the grand jury has passed on the charge of assault in the alleged sending of the poison package to Harry C. Corbish. This announcement was made by Barclay S. Weeks, counsel for Moloney, late yesterday, after Judge Jerome in the court had postponed, had held him to await the action of the grand jury.

Peace Delegates in London.

LONDON, May 11.—Captain Alfred T. Mahan, U. S. N., retired, and Mr. S. H. Mahan, president of Columbia university, New York, delegates of the United States to the disarmament congress, which meets at The Hague on May 18, reached this city yesterday, with their assistants. All of the party are in excellent health and report that they greatly enjoyed their trip from the United States. They will start for The Hague on Tuesday of next week.

SITUATION IN PHILIPPINES.

Gen. Otis Sends a Very Encouraging Report.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—Gen. Otis telegraphs that the situation is as follows: We have succeeded in passing the army gunboats to Calumpit for use in the Rio Grande and railway connections with that point were secured, this week. The passage of the gunboats through the Macabebe country was aided by joyful demonstrations by the inhabitants. Indian country passed over by the troops temporary civil administration has been inaugurated and protection to the inhabitants against insurgents' abuses has been given as far as possible. Signs of insurgent disintegration are daily manifested. The obstacles which the natural features of the country present can be overcome.

RAPID TRANSIT BILL.

Voted by Mayor Van Wyck—No Reasons Given.

NEW YORK, May 11.—Mayor Van Wyck, today, vetoed the rapid transit bill. No reasons were given for the veto, but it is understood that the Mayor regarded the Long Island tunnel bill signed yesterday, as providing for all necessary means for the building of a tunnel railroad in Manhattan. The Long Island tunnel bill signed, yesterday, gives any private corporation the right to obtain from the city a fifty years' franchise for the building of a tunnel railroad in any part of the city.

Horse Stolen at Port Jervis.

H. G. Porter, of Port Jervis, notified the police, today, that he had had a bay mare stolen, Tuesday night. He says a man with a badly bent nose of the theft.

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THIRSTED FOR BLOOD

Joseph Harvey's Murderous Frenzy.

CRIMES THAT ALMOST PASS BELIEF

Killed His Wife, Uncle and Grandmother, Wounded His Baby and Father-in-Law and Then Shot Himself.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

HOWARD CITY, Mich., May 11.—Joseph Harvey, last night, killed his wife, his uncle, Robert Pierson, and his grandmother, and wounded his three-month-old baby and his father-in-law, John Logenslayer, and finally shot himself, inflicting a wound that is expected to prove fatal.

The murderer asserts that late last night Pierson, his uncle, was quarreling with his grandmother and that he intervened, and that thereupon Pierson stabbed and killed the old lady, aged seventy, and then he (Harvey) retaliated by shooting his uncle dead.

At his home, two miles away from his uncle's house, he shot his wife twice, killing her, wounded his baby and his father-in-law and then turned the revolver on himself.

The Pierson home presents a horrible appearance. There are signs of desperate struggles between Harvey and his grandmother, but no indication of a fight between the two men.

Harvey is under arrest, but except the statement above quoted has nothing to say about the tragedy. There are strong threats of lynching.

BUFFALO'S LABOR TROUBLES.

Striking Freight Hands Firm and Adding New Members to Their Union.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 11.—The striking freight hands are firm in their determination to remain out until their grievances are adjusted. Several hundred men enrolled themselves as members of the union, last night, and resolutions were adopted pledging those present not to work under the present system, and demanding that they be paid thirty cents an hour for work outside the freight houses, and twenty cents an hour for inside work.

The grain contractors claim that ten elevators are working to their full capacity, but they are constantly adding to their forces.

DEAD IN THE RIVER.

Finding of a Mutilated Body, Said to Be That of a Woman, in the River.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

NEW YORK, May 11.—William Shy and Patrick O'Donnell, of Havenstraw, N. Y., and Wan Brackett, of Coeymans, N. Y., were arrested, today, and arraigned on suspicion of knowing something about the mysterious death of Henry K. Line. They were remanded to await the result of the coroner's investigation.

O'Donnell and Brackett are employed on board the barge Robert Albert. Line disappeared May 1, after a short visit to the barge, and yesterday his body was found floating in the river near the barge at Seventy-ninth street, New York.

Hearings on the Franchise Tax Bill.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

ALBANY, May 11.—At noon, today, the Governor gave a hearing on the Ford franchise tax bill. Many representatives of street railroad and other interests appeared to oppose the bill, among them ex-Senator David B. Hill, who represented the railroads of Elmira and adjacent towns.

The Tammany Hall delegation submitted this memorandum. "Though the Ford bill is not all the Democracy of the city of New York desires in the way of amendment to existing tax laws, it would effect an improvement upon the present statutes, and therefore it ought to receive the Governor's signature."

THROUGH A TREBLE.

Train Went Down Seventy Feet, Killing Four Men and Injuring Many.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

NEWCASTLE PA., May 11.—A coal-train on the Pittsburgh and West-railroad went through a treble near here, this morning, killing four men and injuring a number of others. The train went over a seventy foot treble into Spangler's Run. Five of the injured may die.

Wife Murder and Suicide.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

AUBURN, May 11.—The bodies of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tinsnell were found in their rooms on State street, this morning, at 8 o'clock. The man was dead without a mark upon him. The woman was unconscious with the side of her head battered in and brain protruding. She was taken to the hospital, but cannot live. It is supposed her husband tried to kill her with a hammer and then committed suicide by taking poison. The coroner is investigating.

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Mrs. S. Barnhart, New Castle, Pa., writes

"Dear Mrs. Pinkham: I intended to have written to you before but since my recovery I have been very busy. I had been sick ever since my marriage, seven years ago have given birth to seven children and had two miscarriages. I had falling of womb, leucorrhoea, pains in back and legs, dyspepsia and a nervous trembling of the stomach. Now I have none of these troubles and can enjoy my life. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has worked wonders for me."

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Mrs. Bradish's Happy Letter.

DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—About two years ago I began to run down and soon became almost a wreck. I lost my appetite and began to lose flesh. My blood was impoverished and I had to leave our store. The doctor gave me a little tonic but it didn't do much good. I then tried another doctor. He helped me in some ways but my headaches continued, and I began to have night sweats and my rest was so disturbed that I would have hysteria and would cry and worry over business matters and my poor health. Finally my husband took me South but with no benefit. This was a year ago no one can ever know what a winter of misery I spent. Would blot after eating and was troubled with palpitation of heart and whites. Having read by happy chance of your medicine I bought it and wrote for your advice and before having finished the first bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound the hysterics nearly stopped and I slept soundly. I used seven or eight bottles with such benefit that I am as healthy as I can ever remember of being. I still never cease to sound your praises.—Mrs. E. M. Bradish, 179 Dix Ave., Detroit, Mich.

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ON THE TIP OF THE TONGUE.

"Mr. Smooth" made a great hit, Wednesday night, at the Casino. It went along so smoothly, yet with so much action, that the audience didn't dare applaud for fear of losing a single one of the bright lines which characterize the production. Mr. Collier's conception of "Mr. Smooth" was very clever, and Mr. Ward and Mr. Evans, the former as "Chatterbox" and the latter as "Hick" with Miss Granger as "Miss Chatterbox" were strong support for the comedian who spent so much of his time on the stage during the play.

The door scene when Collier and Hick Coll tried to put their differences and the way in which Louise Allen-Coll tried to get them to fight was a masterpiece of the play which was especially clever. Dan Mason, as the butler, was very funny in his bit of business.

It is estimated that the ladies particularly those of Miss Granger were stunning. The ladies in the audience around the stage about them. Louise Allen-Coll who played "Miss Anne" was particularly graceful in the play, and her character was a delightful vision.

Miss Granger has been many seasons but has lost none of her popularity. She is a great success in "Mr. Smooth" taking on a new part with the wisdom of many of her changes.

It was when the drama of "Mr. Smooth" has had in New York this season seems to have impressed the audience. "Mr. Smooth" with the idea that it is a good thing to work a good deal of it into his play. When Miss Anne in the second act takes a bit of a rest in the play, it is a relief to the audience. The play is a very high school and low school play, and it is a relief to the audience. The play is a very high school and low school play, and it is a relief to the audience.

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A Settlement of the Buffalo Strike Seems Probable.

BISHOP QUIGLEY'S REPORT ACCEPTED

Lake Carriers Propose the Choosing of a General Superintendent by the Bishop—Consent to Continue Until His Contract Expires.

BUFFALO, May 11.—The trouble between the Carriers and the Bishop is nearer a settlement today than at any time since the shipping season opened. The prospects now are that before the end of the week the whole matter will be straightened out and the grain blockade will be raised and the lake will be open again.

Between the time when the meeting of the grain shippers at which Bishop Quigley submitted his report of the Monday night conference with the lake carriers ended yesterday afternoon and 10 o'clock last night the aspect of the situation changed completely. Yesterday afternoon in the grain shippers and their leaders in an advisory capacity were firm in their determination to accept no compromise. Last night the lake carriers were prepared to make a compromise. The lines had been in the last proposition made by the lake carriers, which provided for the appointment of a general superintendent who would have entire charge of the unloading of grain at this port and who was to be appointed by Bishop Quigley and paid by the Lake Carriers Association.

The proposition was accepted by the Carriers, and the Bishop's report was accepted. The lines had been in the last proposition made by the lake carriers, which provided for the appointment of a general superintendent who would have entire charge of the unloading of grain at this port and who was to be appointed by Bishop Quigley and paid by the Lake Carriers Association.

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QUIET AT SAMOA.

Tanu's Warriors Occupy Apia, and He Claims \$150 Monthly. APPIA, Samoa, May 4 via Berlin May 11.—The difference which arose regarding the line outside of which the Matafua agent against the administration has been peacefully adjusted and work has been resumed on the plantations near Vailele. All the houses in the neighborhood of Apia are still strongly occupied by Tanu's warriors.

Tanu has lodged complaint with the supreme court against the administration of the treasury which is now controlled by the consuls of Germany, Great Britain and the United States pending Tanu's assumption of the duties.

Tanu demands that he be paid a monthly salary of \$150 which is three times the amount paid to Mallette, Laupape. Mr. Luther W. Osborn, the United States consul general acting as cashier of the treasury, refused to pay the money demanded, but the chief justice of the supreme court gave judgment in favor of Tanu for the amount claimed.

BASEBALL SCORES Results of Yesterday's Games in the National League.

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